

PAMWA-PTGWO Receives WODP Training Grant

The Philippine Association of Migrant Workers and Advocates–Philippine Trade and General Workers’ Organization (PAMWA-PTGWO) received a training grant from the Bureau of Labor Relations through its Workers’ Organization Development Program (WODP). The grant shall be utilized for the conduct of the capacity building program for the officers and members of PAMWA-PTGWO entitled “Leadership and Advocacy Skills Enhancement Training”.

The training intends to empower the PAMWA-PTGWO members and their families and educate them on issues of human trafficking, gender and development, and rights of women workers. It also aims to enhance participants’ knowledge on current trends in labor migration and ASEAN integration, leadership concepts and principles.

A total of 160 PAMWA-PTGWO’s members in Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao including members of the Secretariat are expected to attend the training.

Sr. Mary Bernadette C. Guzman, PAMWA-PTGWO President, extended her gratitude to the BLR for the release of the WODP training grant. She thanked the DOLE for recognizing the need for workers education in order to enhance the capabilities of their existing and potential officers and leaders.

Workers capability development is a component of the WODP, under which assistance and support, through training grants, are extended to qualified workers' organizations to enhance competency and skills in the management of their organization.

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